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As the engagement to the company president's daughter had been settled, days passed is smooth sailing for Tachibana when in front of him the university senpai who he had lost contact with long ago, Ryuusuke appeared. To add to that, Ryuusuke said to the bewildered Tachibana that he wants to play "couple" for a just a month. A bittersweet love story filled to the brim with heartrending emotion!

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A time, everything seemed to shine brilliantly...
RYUUSUKE! YOU'RE GOING TOO FAST!
ARE YOU SCARED, TACHIBANA?
I'M NOT, BUT WE'RE SERIOUSLY GONNA FALL!
It's burned into my mind like the flash lingering after an image is taken
I told you!

永遠の七月 #1
Nine years have passed,
but even now...

break
time

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CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR ENGAGEMENT
AND I SEE YOU'RE FINALLY GETTING MARRIED AS WELL.
THANKS!
BUT REALLY, THE MARRIAGE ITSELF IS STILL NOT FOR A WHILE
MOREOVER, I HEARD THAT IT WILL BE A HUGE PROJECT AT THE COMPANY
AIMING STRAIGHT FOR THE FLITE, EH?
BUT YOU KNOW HE'S MARRYING THE COMPANY PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER.
SHE'S REAL BEAUTY, TOO!
WOAH!! MARRYING MONEY!?
SO HE CAN BE THE NEXT COMPANY PRESIDENT!?
HEY TEACH ME HOW TO LAND MYSELF SUCH WOMAN!
DON'T BE RUDE. IT'S JUST THE RESULT OF LOVING EACH OTHER.

OO, SHE'S HERE SHE'S HERE
SOOOOORRY!
I KNOW I'M LATE!
MY BOSS CAUGHT ME ON MY WAY BACK.
WHO ELSE IS COMING TODAY?
WELL, IIDA IS, BUT SHE SEEMS TO BE RUNNING A BIT LATE.
IIDA IS COMING? HOW NOSTALGIC
And then I met Sanada there too.
LONG TIME NO SEE.
.....

RYUU-SUKE
IT'S BEEN 10 YEARS...
NOT QUITE THAT LONG SINCE UNIVERSITY, IS IT?
Kyuusuke was a senior at my university club.
I'm 28, you know!
!!
WHAT'S THIS?
YOU'RE ALL GROWN UP AND LOOKING GOOD!! Your hair is black!
I'M ALREADY 28! OF COURSE IT IS DON'T TOUCH IT!

A year and a half after I met him, Kyuusuke quit the university.
But...
You're not in even in the list of people coming!
What a shameless guy.
Hurry up and shift over.
Excuse me! Two beers please!
Cut it out you guys.
If possible, I didn't want to see him again.
NO. THAT'S NOT RIGHT...
I thought that I would never see him again...
Wha..
What??
But...
WELL THEN, I LEAVE HIM UP TO YOU!!

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YOU!! DON'T KICK YOUR ELDERS!
AND ANYWAY NORMALLY IN THIS SITUATION, AREN'T YOU SUPPOSE TO SAY "PLEASE USE THE BED"?
YOU'RE ALREADY INVADING OTHER PEOPLE'S HOUSES
AND YOU INTEND TO HOG THE BED TOO.
AH, IS THAT TEA? OH WELL, GIVE IT TO ME.
...LISTEN TO OTHER PEOPLE WHEN THEY TALK.
UGUUH.
OI, AT LEAST SLEEP ON THE SOFA. YOU'RE GONNA CATCH A COLD!

HEY,
TACHI-BANA
ARE YOU REALLY GOING TO GET MARRIED?
IF I'M NOT GETTING MARRIED THEN I WOULDN'T GET ENGAGED RIGHT?
DON'T GET MARRIED.
DON'T
HA...?

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ほだされそうにみった
!!
HEEEEE!
DON'T WANNA!
DON'T WANNA!
DON'T WANNA!
EVEN IF YOU ACT LIKE A CUTE KID, IT WON'T WORK! SHUT UP!!
I... I CAN'T DO THAT.
IT'S BECAUSE WE DIDN'T SEE EACH OTHER.
I WANT TO MAKE IT UP FOR IT.
IT'S NOT LIKE WE'VE SEEN EACH OTHER SINCE UNIVERSITY!!
TACHIBANA, YOU'RE SO MEAN!
AND LONELY!
AH!
HOW ABOUT THIS!?
LET'S PRETEND TO BE LOVERS UNTIL YOU GET MARRIED!
HAA?!
NICE idea, SHIN!
GOOD NIGHT!
STUUUUPID! THAT'S WHAT MAKES IT INTERESTING!
SINCE WE'RE BOTH MEN, YOU DON'T HAVE TO FEEL GUILTY ABOUT YOUR WIFE.
NO WAY! WE'RE BOTH MEN! WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?

IT HURTS!!
PLEASE!
THEN ONE MONTH. JUST ONE MONTH
I GOT IT!
I GOT IT!
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HEY! DON'T IGNORE ME!
...!!
DAMN... WHAT A DRUNKARD..
AT ANY RATE, HE WON'T REMEMBER IT TOMORROW.
AHA-HAHA!!
HA!
UGH!
UGH UGH
COUGH

EVEN IF IT'S A JOKE..
—I DIDN'T THINK YOU WOULD CLING TO ME LIKE THAT
AH, SO TIRED.. I'm beat.
I WONDER IF ITS BECAUSE I DIDN'T GET MUCH SLEEP YESTERDAY..

!!?
YO! WELCOME HOME!
AT LEAST I'LL SLEEP WELL TONIGHT...
WHY ARE YOU HERE?!!
AND WHAT'S WITH THIS ROOM?!

WE'RE PRETENDING TO BE LOVERS, RIGHT?
IT'S ONLY FOR A MONTH AND IF WE LIVE SEPARATELY, IT WILL END WITHOUT US FEELING MUCH LIKE LOVERS.
DIDN'T WE DECIDE TO LIVE TOGETHER FOR A MONTH?
HAA?!

SO, IT WASN'T JUST A DRUNK'S RAMBLINGS..
AND YOU ACTUALLY REMEMBERED THAT, OF ALL THINGS...
LISTEN TO PEOPLE WHEN THEY TALK!!!
Stop touching my things!
Wait, porn DVD!
I GUESS I'M A MAN WHO NEVER BACKS DOWN ON HIS WORD?
That's fine. First time I've heard that...
NOW SHOULD WE DECIDE WHO SLEEPS ON THE BED WITH ROCK PAPER SCISSORS?
TACHIBANA IS A LIAR
YOU'D BE A SPOIL-SPORT, AS ALWAYS
A BIG LIAR
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO HAS NO COMMON SENSE!!
ANYWAY, STOP DECIDING EVERYTHING FOR YOURSELF!!
DON'T SMOKE! THE SMELL WILL STICK!!
SMOKE ON THE BALCONY!!
IF YOU WANT TO SMOKE, GET OUT!!
ANSWER ONCE ONLY!
YES YES.
I NEVER INTENDED TO BE A PRETEND LOVER OR LIVE TOGETHER WITH YOU!!

...I'M SORRY, I'M ACTING ALL HIGH
I'M JUST HAPPY TO SEE YOU AFTER A SUCH LONG TIME
COUGH! COUGH!
THAT'S RIGHT... DAMN IT, SO MESSY
IT'S NOT A BIG DEAL.

—
CH.
I HEARD A LOT ABOUT YOU FROM IIDA
SHE SAID YOU'RE HEADING FULL SPEED TOWARDS THE ELITE WORLD.
YOU BECAME SUCH A GOOD MAN...
...TO THE POINT OF PISSING PEOPLE OFF.

YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED AT ALL.
AND YOU WERE ALL ABOUT DOING STUPID THINGS BACK AT UNIVERSITY...
WEREN'T YOU THE RINGLEADER OF THEM
REALLY ?
YEAH. EVEN YOUR VOICE HASN'T CHANGED
THE NIGHT IS STILL RATHER COLD...
GO BACK IN, TACHI-BANA.
IF IT'S ONLY A MONTH THE SMELL WON'T STICK THAT MUCH..
AS LONG AS YOU DO IT UNDER THE VENTILATION FAN, I DON'T MIND YOU SMOKING INSIDE

TACHI-BANA...
I SAID IT'S FINE, DIDN'T I?
IT'S ONLY TEMPORARY, AFTER ALL!
REALLY?
I WON'T HOLD BACK, YOU KNOW...?

WHA!?
YOU SHOULD BE MORE AGREEABLE FROM THE START!
AAH SO COLD! SO COLD!
AND I'M HUNGRY..

OI, WAIT JUST A MINUTE, YOU!
SHOULD WE ORDER PIZZA?
Do you have any coupons?
GAAAAH!
I JUST CLEANED THAT UP!!

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ず!?
DA...
DA..
DA...
No matter how many years had passed...
にへ♥
I'LL BE IN YOUR CARE FOR A MONTH!
DAMN IT!!!
In a blink of an eye, my world was flipped upside down once more...

Just like that time...
KITAKUNI UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE CEREMONY
NO! YOU SHOULD MAKE USE OF YOUR HEIGHT WITH BASKETBALL!
YOU!! YOU HAVE A GOOD BODY, RIGHT? YOU HAVE TO JOIN THE PRO-WRESTLING CLUB!!
RIGHT NOW, MALE RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS IS VERY POPULAR!!
SHIT...
THEY ARE SO PERSISTENT!
ACK?!
I-I-

WHERE DID HE GO?!
THAT WAY!
HEY!
SSSSH
WHA-
NO WORRIES.
THANKS
YOU'RE FLASHY AND EYE-CATCHING.
That's why they chase you.

NO, IT'S NOT 'OKAY' BUT I'M SLACKING OFF ISN'T THAT OBVIOUS?
I THINK YOU'RE MORE FLASHY THAN ME
WHAT?
YOU WANT THE POSTER?
UH, NO...
IS IT OKAY FOR YOU TO NOT HAND OUT THE POSTERS?
YOU'RE COMING?
WANT TO HIDE THERE?
AAAAAH, MAYBE I'LL JUST GO BACK TO THE CLUB ROOM AND SLEEP

THIS GUY SERIOUSLY HAS NO MOTIVA-TION
He chucked away the posters!
Sleepy~
YAWN

EH!?

HM つ
BY THE WAY, WHAT DO YOU DO IN YOUR CLUB?
NOTHING BUT GET DRUNK AND WATCH HORROR MOVIES
WHAT'S UP WITH THAT?

WELCOME TO THE RESEARCH CLUB!
I've done my share!
!?
YOU TRICKED ME!!
ガーン
AHAH-HAHA!!
IS THAT WHY YOU THREW AWAY THOSE POSTERS?
LET GO!!
JUST GIVE UP ALREADY...
.....!!
SINCE I'VE ALREADY COME TO LIKE YOU.

Just like that, in a blink of an eye, I was dragged into his world.
AHAHAHAHA!
DAMN IT!!
C'mon Let's go find the 3rd 3rd owner...
To be separated from Michelle...
Eh—!
How about I keep her until we find her owner? I live in a proper house...
I want to keep her but I live in an apartment
His world was like a kaleidoscope
Tachibana is going to keep all of you guys!
Yaaay!
You've been planning this from the start haven't you?
Until it all ended that day...
That's pleasing you
That feeling
And I was instantly immersed in its dizzying colors

DELI-
CIOUS...
I'M GLAD IT SUITED YOUR TASTE
DO YOU OFTEN EAT AT THIS TYPE OF PLACE?

My fiance', Yukari is cute and beautiful.
She has a nice personality too.
NO WAY
THIS IS ONLY FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS
REALLY? I'M GLAD.
In front of her, I feel smart.
Our conversations run with ease and without awkward interruptions

I don't want to open my eyes to the me that must shamefully cling to someone ever again.
TACHI-BANA!
Damn, no text...
YEAH
YOU'RE HEADING HOME?
THEN, LET'S GO EAT WHILE WE'RE OUT HERE!
WHAT?
NAH, I'VE ALREADY EATEN.
I'M STARVING AND YOU'RE GOING TO MAKE ME EAT ALONE??

I DON'T WANT TO ASK RANDOM PEOPLE!
YOU HEARTLESS MAN!
DEVIL/ BALDY!
H'sh*t receding!
I'm NOT BALD!
My hairline is receding!
IF YOU DON'T WANT TO BE ALONE ASK SOME RANDOM GUY TO EAT WITH YOU!
I'M GOING HOME FIRST!
I WANT..TO EAT WITH YOU, AS MY BOYFRIEND...
STUPID
EH?
I GET IT!
I GET IT!
...WAIT!!

THEN YOU SHOULD HAVE SAID SO FROM THE START!
!!
YAAAY!! LET'S GO!
D4AMN IT!!
...
WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN THE AREA?
HMM?
SO GOOD!
EVEN THOUGH I KNOW ALL HIS TRICKS HOW COME THEY STILL GET ME EVERY SINGLE TIME ?
AM I STUPID? AM I REALLY THAT STUPID?

I'M THE COOK OF A CAFE'.
MY WORK PLACE IS RIGHT CLOSE TO HERE
I'VE BORROWED THE ROOM ON THE SECOND FLOOR OF THE SHOP TO LIVE IN
I WAS LOOKING FOR CHANGE OF CLOTHES NEARBY AND ENDED UP BEING THIS LATE
I CAN'T IMAGINE YOU BEING A COOK...
IT'S JUST ME AND MY MOM IN THE FAMILY, YOU KNOW
I WORKED PART TIME IN A RESTAURANT DURING THE DAY
AND DURING THE NIGHT AT A HOST CLUB
WHEW DURING THAT TIME, I WORKED MY ASS OFF
I WANTED TO WORK IN A GOOD PLACE AFTER UNIVERSITY SO SHE COULD BE AT EASE BUT...
SHE BECAME SICK AND UNIVERSITY WAS THE LAST THING ON MY MIND
WELL THEN, IS IT OKAY FOR YOU TO STAY AT MY PLACE?
WHAT ABOUT YOUR MOTHER?

...I SEE.
RIGHT NOW, I'M JUST MOVING FROM PLACE TO PLACE, TAKING MY TIME.
HMM. THREE YEARS AGO IT WOULD HAVE BEEN A PROBLEM.
HEY NOW!
WHY ARE YOU MAKING SUCH A FACE?
EH?
...WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY ANYTHING AT THE TIME?
I WAS THE ONLY ONE THAT DIDN'T KNOW!
THE REASON WHY YOU LEFT THE UNIVERSITY OR ANYTHING AT ALL!

YOU DIDN'T CONTACT ME!
YOU DIDN'T EVEN SHOW YOUR FACE!
YOU JUST QUIT!
TACHIBANA!?
. IF YOU HAD ONLY TOLD ME..
I MIGHT HAVE BEEN ABLE TO GIVE YOU THE SUPPORT YOU NEEDED!!
Without complaint...
I'd stay there beside you..

WELL, I HONESTLY FORGOT TO SAY IT.
Completely.
I'm sorry, so please sit down.
WHA...
ATA
ITARA
DON'T SAY YOU "FORGOT"!!
Do you know how I felt until I lost you?
THAT TIME WAS SERIOUSLY HECTIC SO IT WAS MY FAULT MY FAULT
I HAD NO IDEA YOU'D GET SUCH A NOTION IN YOUR HE...
SHIT...I..
I WAS RUSHING ALL OVER THE PLACE AFTER QUITTING THE UNIVERSITY
I LOST MY CELL AND YOUR NUMBER ALONG WITH IT
IT WAS HONESTLY JUST THAT

Damn, you're that type of guy..
YOU'RE REALLY A GOOD KID.
Now now, Do you want another karaage?
Yes..
Won't you please lower your voice a little?
OH, SIR, WHAT'S FIXATION STAGE?
EXCUSE ME, SIR!
HAH! EVEN THOUGH YOU SECRETLY LIKE IT
I DON'T LIKE IT!!
OI! DON'T TREAT ME LIKE A KID!
IN TWO YEARS, I'LL BE THIRTY YEARS OLD!

*KARAAGE IS JAPANESE-STYLE FRIED MEAT. MOST often BUT NOT ALWAYS CHICKEN

I want to know more about this person named Ryuusuke
And whose fault is that, do you think?!
we got scolded!
Is it too late to start right now?
I don't want to get attached again...
It felt good to be by your side after all
Is that why you invited me so desperately?!
I forgot my wallet today..
You're obviously paying for this, right?
But...

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永遠の七月 #2

TACHIBANA!
TACHIBANA!
SAY AAAAH!
LIKE I'D DO THAT!
EVEN A NORMAL COUPLE DOESN'T DO THAT, DO THEY!?
TACHIBANA, YOU'RE LAME!
CAN'T YOU EVER GET IN THE MOOD??
YOU JUST HAVE WEIRD IDEAS!
AND WHAT 'MOOD'??
THIS FEELS LIKE WE'RE ONLY SHARING A ROOM..
IT'S BECAUSE WE NEVER DO ANYTHING LIKE LOVERS!
IT'S MORE LIKE FREE-LOADING THAN SHARING!

I KNOW!! LET'S DO IT!
WHAT— MAY I ASK ARE YOU PLANNING TO DO—?
I have a bad feeling about this...
SINCE WE'RE A COUPLE, IT'S OBVIOUS THAT WE SHOULD FUCK.
WE'RE PRETEND LOVERS NOT REAL LOVERS, RIGHT!? WE DON'T HAVE TO GO THAT FAR!!
EVEN THOUGH IT'S JUST A GAME, I'M TAKING IT SERIOUSLY OTHERWISE IT'S JUST BORING!!
Oi. WA WHOAA!
THA' HURTS
IF YOU'RE NOT GOING TO DO IT, I'LL DO YOU!!
DON'T BE SO WHINY!

Don't take it off!!
KISS
KISS
HAA?!
WA....
...!?
Fucking
Just give up!!
Still!
ACK!
STOP JOKING AROUND !!
TSK.. YOU'RE PRETTY STRONG ..
HEE!?
....BUT STILL SO NAIVE...

Hm
N...
KISS
KISS
...TACHI-
BANA...
...AH!?

...Ch
SORRY
I'VE NEVER DONE IT WITH A GUY BEFORE !!
...HUH?
I DON'T KNOW IF I'LL BE ANY GOOD!!
OH... GEEZ !!
You're desperate!
Yaay!!
I'VE NEVER DONE IT EITHER...

HAA
..AH
NN ...
HAA
HA
HAA
ACTUALLY.. I THOUGHT I MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO GET IT UP....
BUT HOW SHOULD I PUT... ...IT.. IT'S QUITE
AH
SQUISH..
TSU
TWITCH
IT'S.... FI...NE... HU...RRY ...
TA... CHI... BANA... ....
TWITCH

STU...
IF IT'S TOO TIGHT, IT'S BETTER IF I PULL OUT, OKAY?
It looks painful
DON'T PULL OUT!!!
SO TIGHT...
LIVA...
GRIP
GRIP
GRIP
.....
..DON'T... PULL OUT... I'M OKAY... I'M FINE SO....
BUT... YOU KNOW..
PUT IT... ...ALL IN...
RUFFLE
TREMBLE
STROKE
JUST DO IT QUICKLY... ...STUPID.
TREMBLE
YOU DON'T LOOK FINE AT ALL...

SLURP
KISS
NN...
..N
STROKE
KISS
GRIP
HA...A
N...
STROKE
STROKE
N..?
NN.
..N
AH!
THRUST
SQUISH

TACHI BA- NA...
..ALL.. IN..
The pressure
IT FEELS LIKE I'M GONNA COME STRAIGHT AWAY
IT'S... ALL IN?
I'M SORRY
PLEASE
...STAY LIKE THIS JUST A LITTLE LONGER.

UP UNTIL NOW, I NEVER THOUGHT THAT SEX COULD BE THIS DIFFICULT..
I DIDN'T THINK SO EITHER..
UGH MY ASS HURTS...
BUT YOU KNOW, THIS IS JUST LIKE US SO IT'S FINE, ISN'T IT?
THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEAN!
THAT WAS NOT EVEN CLOSE TO BEING SEXY...
RYUU SUKE..
HN..?
PING
PING

WHISPERING
Shit. I'm going to have to smoke...
IS THIS THE KIND OF TIME TO BE TAKING PHONE CALLS??
Eh
Ah!
HELLO?
A FEMALE VOICE.
I SUPPOSE HE WOULD AT LEAST HAVE A GIRLFRIEND...
Since I have one as well...
BUT HE'S HAPPILY ANSWERING THE PHONE RIGHT AFTER DOING IT WITH A GUY.
Un
Ah
I'm being ignored...?
IT'S NOT "TOTALLY FINE"...?
Ah, now?
YEA, YEAH WHAT IS IT?
IT'S TOTALLY FINE!
TACHIBANA... THE FACE YOU'RE MAKING IS GROSS
WHAT AM I THINKING!! I'M ACTING LIKE I'M JEALOUS!!
Boshi-n
And even now, he's calling her all naked... and... uh... wait...
I want to tell her... that until just now, this guy was panting under me...

NOOOOO WAY!!
..!!
WHAT'S THIS... COULD IT BE YOU'RE JEALOUS OVER THAT CALL?
JUST NOW... WAS THAT YOUR GIRLFRIEND?
IT'S OKAY IF YOU ERASE ALL THE GIRL NUMBERS.
HUH?
HERE.
TO GO... THAT FAR..
IF YOU ERASE ALL OF THEM, YOU MIGHT GIVE YOURSELF TENDINITIS!
UWAH IT REALLY IS ALL WOMEN
HUH?
HERE.
Shit! I'm erasing them!!

TACHI-BANA...
NO NO NO I LIKE THAT PART OF YOU!
IT'S NOT SOMETHING YOU SHOULD BE LAUGHING AT!!
So stupid!! BUH HAH AA!!
YOU'RE SERIOUSLY PISSING ME OFF!!!
DON'T YOU THINK IT'S UNFAIR IF IT'S JUST YOU?
AH? .... SHIRAKAWA YUKARI
YOU'RE PLANNING ON ERASING THAT FIRST, HUH? OH WELL, IT'S FINE SINCE I CAN ASK FOR IT AGAIN—
WHAT'S YOUR FIANCEE'S NAME?

IF IT'S TACHIBANA, I'M SURE HE CAN DO IT...
I DON'T KNOW ABOUT BEING THE FUTURE COMPANY PRESIDENT... IT'S NOT THAT SIMPLE, IS IT?
MOREOVER, THE COMPANY PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER? ISN'T SHE PERFECT?
MR. FUTURE COMPANY PRESIDENT!
SHE A BEAUTY? CUTE?
HER LINAGE IS BEAUTIFUL, I SUPPOSE... SHE'S KIND, SMART. SHE'S A GOOD WOMAN.
DON'T LOOK THROUGH THE OTHER FOLDERS AS YOU PLEASE!!
Ah, Michelle
BY THE WAY TACHIBANA, I SEE YOU MADE A PET PHOTO FOLDER...
I GET IT ALREADY! OK! OK!
AH? WHAT?
OH, MAKE SURE YOU DON'T ERASE ANY OF MY CLIENTS'!!
I didn't
WHAT A STRANGE THING...
ever think that the day would come when we could talk like this again...

TACHIBANA!
WHAT DAY IS TODAY?
HA?
WHAT DOES IT MATTER? CAN'T YOU SEE I'M TRYING TO WRITE A REPORT..?
TIME'S UP!!! TODAY IS OCEAN DAY!
AND IT ISN'T RIGHT TO NOT GO TO THE OCEAN!!
WELL.. IT'S NOT LIKE WE HAVE TO GO..?
EVEN MY REPORT IS STILL HARDLY
OR RATHER, BEFORE MY PART-TIME JOB PAYS, I HAVE NO MONEY, NO TRANSPORTATION...
FOR TRANSPORTATION, LEAVE IT TO ME!!
NO... CAN'T YOU LISTEN TO MY RESPONSE UNTIL THE END..?

*OCEAN DAY'S A JAPANESE NATIONAL HOLIDAY CELEBRATED ON THE THIRD MONDAY IN JULY. MANY PEOPLE TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE HOLIDAY AND SUMMER WEATHER TO TAKE A BEACH TRIP.

... WHAT, A BICYCLE!?
WHAT NOW? YOUR BODY IS THAT BIG AND YOU DON'T HAVE CONFIDENCE IN YOUR OWN STRENGTH...?
U.....
STOP BEING ALL FUSSY!!
YOU'RE SUCH A PARTY POOPER!
I MEAN, DO YOU EVEN THINK ABOUT HOW FAR IT IS TO THE CLOSEST SEA!?
BATTLE CRY
あああ!!
I'M THE ONE PEDALING!?
NOW, COME ON, LET'S GO!!
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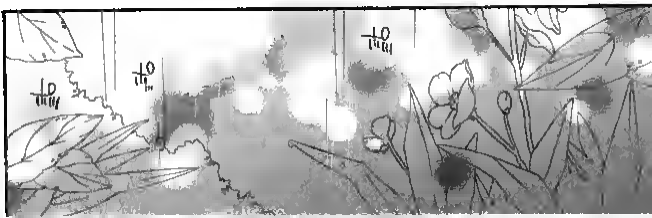
There was no way to avoid this guy's provocation...
But...
and acting stupid together was fun.
Going along with it



THE RAIN IS NOT STOPPING HUH
BY THE WAY, CAN I SAY SOMETHING I NOTICED?
NO.
THE SUN... HAS ALREADY SET. HUH
NO MATTER HOW YOU LOOK AT IT, THE BUS THAT COMES TO THIS STOP GOES NO WHERE NEAR THE SEA.
I SAID DON'T SAY IT.
.. AREN'T WE LOST?
SHALL WE STAY HERE TODAY?
AND ANYWAY, IT'S BLOODY POURING!! and dark out!!
I SAID DON'T SAY IT, DIDN'T I!? STUPID!
WON'T TOTORO COME OUT? TOTORO !!
LIKE I CAN STAND NOT SAYING IT!! I DON'T EVEN KNOW THE WAY TO THE OCEAN!!
AND WHAT'S WITH THIS?? WE'RE AT A BUS STOP BUT WE HAVE YET TO SEE A BUS!
WELL, I DON'T KNOW EITHER!!
You're right.
this is pointless, so let's stop this anyway.

AAHH... I CAN'T SMOKE CAUSE IT'S DAMP!
AH
HERE, PUT THIS IN YOUR MOUTH
WHAT? YOU CARRY SUCH CUTE THING ON YOU?
Are you an osaka aunty?
I GOT IT FROM SOMEONE!!
THE 'OSAKAN AUNTY' AS IN HAVING A FUNNY FILLER WITH SWEETS THAT THEY GIVE OUT TO RANDOM UNSUSPECTING VICTIMS
AHA-HA-HAHA!!
IT'S FINE!!
REALLY?
YEAH.. I'M NOT GOOD WITH SWEET STUFF..
STOMACH RUMBLING
IT'S NICE... THIS THING.

THAT'S GOOD.
ACHOO!
COLD?
WELL, YOU ARE PRETTY DRENCHED AND THE CLOTHES AREN'T DRY YET...

IT CAN'T BE HELPED, CAN IT? AND ANYWAY WHOSE FAULT IS IT!?
HAHAHAA YOU'RE SOAKED THROUGH
feels gross!
THIS WAY IT WILL BE AT LEAST WARMER.
Be good now!
SORRY
I... THIS IS MY FIRST TIME CAMPING
IT'S NOT GOOD.
THAT'S GOOD THEN.
I... WANTED TO GO TO THE SEA...
WHEN I'M OUT OF MY PART-TIMER PERIOD, OKAY?
YEAH...

Even though it's really sunny out, I feel super cold...
My joints are aching...

Recovering from a cold due to spending the whole night in soaked clothes.
After that, for three days, I was in bed
HAVEN'T SEE YOU FOR A WHILE!
OH, TACHI-BANA!
HEY GUYS!
I HEARD THAT YOU WENT TO THE OCEAN AND GOT YOURSELF A COLD FROM GETTING RAINED ON?
AHAHA!! WHAT AN IDIOT!!
SHUT UP!! ANYWAY, WE DIDN'T GO TO THE OCEAN!!

DIDN'T RYUUSUKE DROP OUT THE DAY BEFORE YESTERDAY?
THAT GUY CAUGHT A COLD TOO, RIGHT? DON'T JUST MAKE FUN OF ME...
ANYWAY, WHERE'S RYUUSUKE?
EH?
...HA?
AND RYUUSUKE LIVES WITH HIS MOTHER. EVEN BEFORE THIS, THEIR LIVES SEEMED DIFFICULT.
WELL, HIS MOTHER IS SICK SO IT CAN'T BE HELPED.
IT WOULD HAVE BEEN NICE IF HE STAYED TILL SUMMER HOLIDAY..
I DIDN'T ...KNOW ABOUT... THAT...
.....

WHAT THE HELL!
I DIDN'T KNOW ANY OF THIS!!
THAT HE WANTS TO QUIT SCHOOL! THAT HE ONLY LIVES WITH HIS MOTHER, WHO'S SICK!
YOU DIDN'T HEAR IT FROM RYUUSUKE?
IT'S NOT LIKE WE WANTED TO KEEP IT A SECRET, YOU KNOW?
AND IT'S NOT SOMETHING YOU'D NORMALLY TALK ABOUT WITH OTHER PEOPLE, IS IT?
EVERYONE ...HEARD IT FROM RYUUSUKE ...
ALL OF YOU... .. KNOW ABOUT THIS...
WHY ...?
NO WAY... FOR YOU TO NOT KNOW IS....

THAT'S RIGHT! IT'S THAT PERSON SO HE'LL PROBABLY CONSTANTLY DROP IN ON US!
AH, IT MUST BE THAT. IT'S BECAUSE YOU'RE THE CLOSEST TO RYUUSUKE...
IT'D BE HARDER TO SAY TO YOU, WOULDN'T IT?
IT'S NOT AS IF YOU WON'T EVER SEE HIM AGAIN!!
IT CAN'T... BE...
...NOT A SINGLE WORD ...
The number you are calling is currently not being used---
Please call again...
DAMN IT, I'M SO COMPLAIN-ING!
Just drop it!
LIKE I CAN BE SATISFIED WITH "DIFFICULT TO SAY"!!!
HELLO ?!
BRIING
CLICK
YOU...

EH...?
I... I DON'T GET IT.....
DAMN IT !!
TACHI-BANA!!
Haa
Haa

Haa
Haa?
WHY...
Haa
WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY ANY-THING?
Not about your family, nor about university...
EVERY SINGLE DAY... ONLY SAYING STUPID STUFF...
I... ..didn't know a single thing about that person...
He...didn't let me know...
SNIFF
SOB
SOB
WHIMPER

I... thought we were friends...
And.... I thought..
that's what you thought as well.

When I thought that there was nothing between us...

But I was scared.

ZZZZZ
TACHI-BANA... THE BATH IS OPEN!
My back hurts
HOW LONG ARE YOU GOING TO OBSESS OVER THAT PHONE!!?
すぃ
I'M SO SPREADING YOUR PICTURE!
OOI, WAKE UP!!
TACHI-BANA!! GO TAKE A SHOWER!!
KICK
KICK
TA-CHI-BA-NA!
わさ
TACHI-BANA!!
わさ

TACHIBANA IS NOT LETTING GO AT ALL!!
Let go!
AHA-HAHA!!
HA.. HA..
.....
TACHI-BANA...

永遠の七月
#3

BEEP
HELLO?
Hello, tachibana where are you now?
AH? I'M ALREADY IN FRONT OF THE APARTMENT
Then, can you buy me shampoo? The one from the convenient store next door is fine...
YEAH, OK.
Ammm Buy me something sweet!
And then
ANY-THING ELSE?
Aah! Condoms! They were all gone yesterday!
UH!!

HONESTLY...
Getting me so tense that I become exhausted, making me laugh to the point of having a stomachache....
I'm sorry! I'm sorry!
Are you OK?
Aha haha!
I'll leave it to you!
YOU LITTLE....
The one that thinks "this is fun" is still here...
The thing that I thought I lost that I'm experiencing once more...
WELL... THERE'S IS SOMETHING THAT'S DIFFERENT FROM THE PAST...
AH!
THE MORE WE DO IT, THE MORE HE SEEMS TO LIKE IT...
AH!
Shh

IT'S GOOOOD!
THERE ARE SECONDS, IF YOU WANT THEM...
LATELY, YOU'VE BEEN COMING HOME EARLY, HUH?
Y... YEAH.
As expected from Ryusuke...
EAT WHILE IT'S STILL HOT!
...WELL, THAT'S ...
...WHEN I HAVE FOOD THIS GOOD AT HOME EVERYDAY, I CAN'T EAT OUT.
.....
EVEN IF YOU SAY "EVERYDAY", IT'S ONLY FOR A MONTH, YOU KNOW...

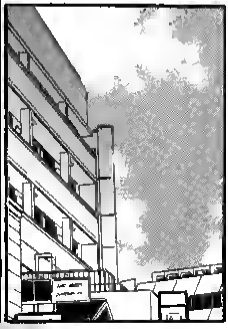
EVEN AFTER THIS ENDS, WE'LL STILL BE FRIENDS! YOU CAN AT LEAST COOK FOR ME OCCASIONALLY, RIGHT?
WHAT THE...
YEAH, YOU'RE RIGHT...
!
AHAHAHA!! YOU REALLY BOUGHT IT!
YOU SAID TO BUY IT, DIDN'T YOU?!!!
BY THE WAY, HERE...
WHAT WAS THAT...?
...JUST NOW...
YAAAY! IT'S SHORT-CAKE!

SHIT...
RYUUSUKE ...
SUCH AN OBEDIENT GUY...
しょぼ
SHALL WE USE ONE NOW..?

IT'S NOT WEIRD TO BE INVITED BY ME, RIGHT?
...SINCE WE'RE... LOVERS ...
I'VE BEEN A FULL BLOWN ADULT SINCE UNIVER-SITY!!
...YOU'VE BECAME AN ADULT! I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT THE DAY HAS COME WHEN TACHIBANA INVITES ME.
TOI!
STOP MAKING FUN OF ME..
!!!

WHA..
IMPOS-SIBLE.
OW!
YESTERDAY WE WERE GOING AT IT LIKE CRAZY AND MY BACK STILL HURTS DON'T BE SO HORNY ALL THE TIME!
EVEN THOUGH YOU NEVER LET ME HAVE A SAY WHEN YOU'RE THE ONE ASKING!
Are you listening?!
IT WAS YOU WHO SAID "LET'S DO IT", WASN'T IT?!
HAA...!? YOU...
WOAH! THAT WAS SO ANNOYING I'M IN SHOCK!!
Can you watch on your own, my kitten?
NOW, BE A GOOD BOY AND GO WATCH TV! GOOD BOY, GOOD BOY!
You're sticking crumbs on me!!
IF YOU WANT TO DO IT THAT BADLY, GO DO IT WITH YOUR GIRLFRIEND
C'mon! Who's a good boy?
Shut up!!

It's been a week since then...



stayed unopened...
The condoms I bought together with shortcake

HAS HE GOTTEN SICK OF IT ALREADY? IF IT'S HIM, IT'S POSSIBLE

ANYWAY, I'M BEING COMPLETELY SWUNG AROUND. . AREN'T I?!
EH? SHUNICHI?

WHY IS IT EVEN THOUGH WE USED TO DO IT EVERYDAY
IT WAS RYUUSUKE WHO SAID "LET'S PLAY LOVERS", WASN'T IT?!

YUKARI!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
I'M GOING TO HAVE LUNCH, WHY DON'T WE HAVE IT TOGETHER?
ALTHOUGH IT'S ONLY PLAYING "PRETEND", AS EXPECTED, MEETING UP FACE TO FACE WITH HER IS DIFFICULT.
AH.. SORRY- I HAVE TO GO MEET MY BUSINESS PARTNER
I SEE... THAT'S TOO BAD.
IT'S BEEN SO LONG SINCE YOU'VE CONTACTED ME IS WORK KEEPING YOU BUSY?
AH..
THIS IS BAD
THERE IS THAT AS WELL BUT MY SENPAI FROM UNIVERSITY HAS DECIDED TO STAY AT MY PLACE AND I APPARENTLY HAVE NO SAY IN THE MATTER.
THAT'S RATHER UNEXPECTED... I THOUGHT YOU WEREN'T VERY GOOD WITH THAT SORT OF THING..
REALLY ?
YOU DON'T PARTICULARLY LIKE TO INTERFERE OR BEING INTERFERED WITH, DO YOU?

YOU MUST BE REALLY CLOSE TO YOUR SENPAI...
....!
..IS IT..
REALLY ?
EVEN IF THAT'S THE CASE, ACCEPTING IT SHOWS THAT THE TWO OF YOU ARE CLOSE AFTER ALL..
FUFUFU
O SAY THAT WE'RE CLOSE.
IT'S MORE LIKE HIS PUSH IS TOO STRONG AND I'M TOO WEAK TO DECLINE..
CONTACT ME WHEN YOU'RE FREE AGAIN, 'KAY?
I'm getting off here
YEAH, SEE YOU..
AH... SORRY ABOUT NOT CONTACTING YOU..
IT'S OKAY, SINCE I GOT TO SEE A RARE SIDE OF YOU TODAY.
FUFUFU
I'VE ALSO BEEN REALLY BUSY THESE DAYS AND COULDN'T CONTACT YOU..
Ah, it's my floor

AH WELL... SHE SEEMS BUSY ANYWAY. I GUESS SHE'LL CONTACT ME SOONER OR LATER...
ウィィン
...OH CRAP.
はっ
DIDN'T HER PHONE NUMBER GET ERASED? THEN, I CAN'T CONTACT HER...
I'M HOME!

HE SHOULD HAVE EATEN FIRST...
SPEAKING OF EATING ...
AAAH... WHAT KIND OF MAN, AM I..?
Wanting to have sex with Ryuusuke
is like a constant itch...
..so cute...

I'm not a guy who can have sex here and there...
Go do it with your girlfriend.
Why did he say something like that?

Besides...
AND YET, WHY WAS I COMPLETELY OKAY WITH GOING OUT WITH YOU ..?

HEY ...
I'M HUNGRY, YOU SEE...
How did you get this sort of thing in your head?
N...?

EH?
WHEN DID YOU GET HOME?
EH... JUST NOW...
WHY DIDN'T YOU WAKE ME UP ?!
SURPRISED
SO.. SORRY...
AH..
I'M HEATING UP THE FOOD SO... IT'LL TAKE... SOME TIME...
COULD IT BE HE'S TIRED?
HEY. ARE YOU FREE NEXT SATURDAY ?
I've been holding back on sex and he still doesn't look very lively...

THEN, SHALL WE GO TO THE OCEAN?
Now, I can support you better than before, right?
YEA, IF IT'S IN THE AFTERNOON, I'M OPEN ON SATURDAY
I didn't notice a lot of things about you but...
The old me was too childish.
THAT.. HAPPENED ...?
YOU REMEMBER, RIGHT? DURING UNIVERSITY.
AS WE WERE GOING TO THE OCEAN ON A BIKE, IT STARTED RAINING. IN THE END WE COULDN'T GO
IT'S NOT OCEAN DAY, THOUGH...
NOW, WE HAVE A CAR, YOU SEE. IT WON'T BECOME SOMETHING STUPID LIKE BEFORE.
IT HAPPENED ON OCEAN DAY, AND IT WAS AWFUL..
THE WHOLE THING WAS YOUR IDEA. CAN'T YOU REMEMBER?

WHAT FOR?
WHAT FOR?
IT'S A DATE, RIGHT? LATELY I HAVE NO LEISURE TIME. I COULD DO WITH A BREATHER AS WELL.
WE ALMOST NEVER DO ANYTHING LOVERS-LIKE.
IT'S ONLY FOR A MONTH SO DON'T YOU WANT TO MAKE SOME MEMORIES?
IT'S OKAY, RIGHT? IT'S DECIDED THEN!
I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO IT!
.....
YEAH...

cough
cough
TACHI-BANA! ICE PILLOWS ...
SORRY ...
IT'S OKAY
FOR THIS TOO... BUT THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT
...WE WERE FINALLY... OCEAN...

GO TO SLEEP ALREADY, 'KAY? I'LL MAKE SOMETHING YOU CAN EAT WHEN YOU WAKE UP.
YOU HAVE A COLD SO IT CAN'T BE HELPED, RIGHT?
MOREOVER, IT'S RAINING THIS HARD. EVEN IF YOU'RE HEALTHY, WE CAN'T GO...
LET'S GO NEXT TIME, OKAY..?
...YEAH.
....
...YEAH.

that time...
Just like

There's a loud murmur in my chest...
HE..EY!
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO DISAPPEAR SUDDENLY AGAIN... ...RIGHT ..?
NEVER... ..MIND..
I'm just being paranoid due to sickness, right?
haha
Call me stupid and laugh at me!
Quickly, go back to your old self!
I WON'T ...

YOU INTEND TO DISAPPEAR AGAIN, DON'T YOU?!
YOU...
...YOU'RE ACTING WEIRD BECAUSE OF THE FEVER! GO TO SLEEP!!
I'M NOT THE SAME CLUELESS KID YOU ONCE KNEW!
HA..A? WHAT ARE YOU TALKING-
I'M NOT ACTING WEIRD!!
DID YOU THINK THAT I WOULDN'T NOTICE?!

...TACHI-BA...
IF YOU WERE PLANNING ON DISAPPEARING AGAIN, WHY TURN UP NOW, AFTER ALL THIS TIME?!
I DON'T GET...YOU...
...WHY ARE WE PLAYING PRETEND "LOVERS"..?
I'LL GO ALONG WITH EVERY SINGLE ONE OF YOUR STUPID IDEAS!
I DON'T GET IT...
"
YOU CAN DO WHAT-EVER YOU LIKE.
THAT'S WHY...
...STAY HERE... FOREVER...

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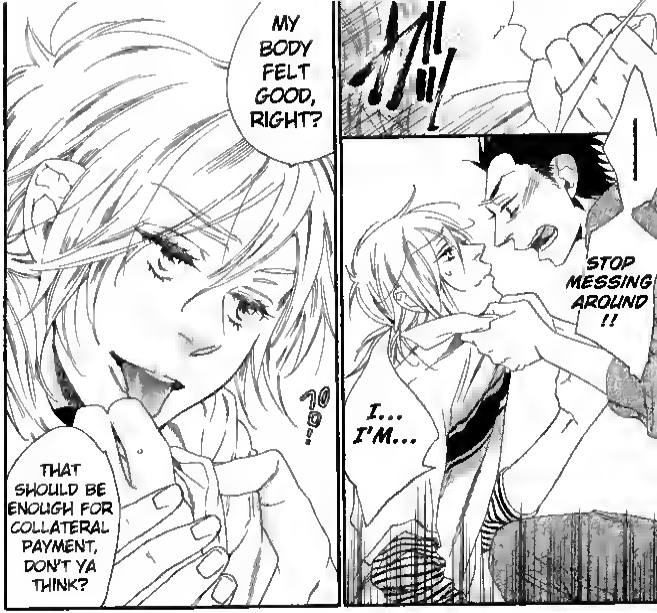
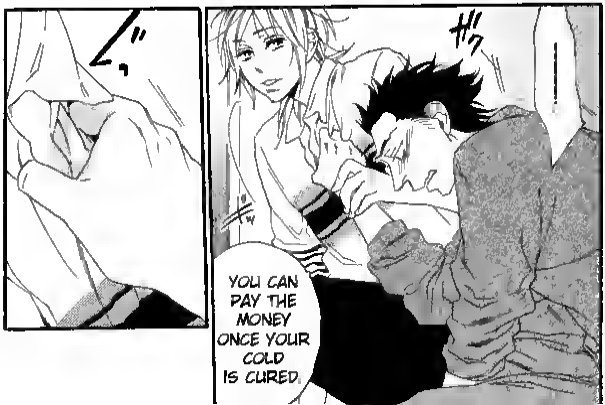
HA?
ABOUT THREE MILLION YEN.
YOU'RE ABOUT TO GET MARRIED... YOU HAVE AT LEAST THAT MUCH, RIGHT?
I'M IN TROUBLE
I TOLD YOU, DIDN'T I? I STILL HAVE THE LOAN FROM MY MOM'S HOSPITAL BILL.
AND YOU KNOW I LIKE TO PLAY...
THEN LEND ME MONEY.

NOT ONLY YOUR GIRLFRIEND, I WONDER WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF YOUR COMPANY FOUND OUT TOO?
YOU DON'T WANT YOUR GIRLFRIEND TO KNOW THAT THE MAN SHE'S GOING TO MARRY DID IT WITH A GUY, DO YOU?
OOPS. YOU DON'T HAVE A RIGHT TO REFUSE, DO YOU?
!
...YOU...
...IT CAN'T BE... YOU PLANNED IT FROM THE START...?
I'LL RETURN IT SOON, YOU'LL SEE..
OKAY, TACHIBANA? THREE MILLION YEN.
IT'S BECAUSE AMONGST THE PEOPLE I KNOW, YOU'RE THE MOST SUCCESSFUL YOU SEE.


MY BODY FELT GOOD, RIGHT?
THAT SHOULD BE ENOUGH FOR COLLATERAL PAYMENT, DON'T YA THINK?
STOP MESSING AROUND !!
I... I'M...


YOU CAN PAY THE MONEY ONCE YOUR COLD IS CURED.

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AH...
THREE MILLION YEN IS EXPENSIVE FOR JUST MEDIOCRE SEX, DON'T YOU THINK?
LET ME FUCK YOU UNTIL THEY'RE AT LEAST EVEN...

AHA-
HAHA!
...HA
HAHA
...
AH
AH
AA
!!
AHA
HAAHA
HAHA
HAA
!!

FUU
KUFUU
..UU
KUU
HAA
I'M BEING SO ROUGH AND YET YOU'RE BEGGING FOR MORE?
AMAZING, RYUUSUKE ...
AH
AH
HYAA

HYA
HYA
AA
HYA
HYA
N...
AH
AA
AH!
HAA
AH..
TACHI-
BANA

"DON'T GET MARRIED."
MY HEAD IS POUNDING ..SWIMMING ....
"I'M JUST HAPPY TO SEE YOU AFTER A LONG TIME."
I FEEL SICK.
"YOU'RE REALLY A GOOD KID."
I CAN'T BREATHE ...

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AMN
..IT
...

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That night -
When I got home,
Ryuusuke and
his belongings
had disappeared
without a trace.
Neverending July #4

YEAH-
I'LL GO
BACK
ONCE I
HAVE
LUNCH.
YEAH,
I JUST
FINISHED
IT WAS
SETTLED
NICELY
...will Ryuusuke
really come
and return the
money?
LO
SHIT....
THE
WEATHER
IS SO NICE
IT PISSES
ME OFF.

...THAT GUY LIES SO EASILY.
"Let's go...to the ocean... 'kay."
"...yeah."
IT'S A SIMPLE THING. BETTER TO JUST FORGET IT... AGAIN.
I DID IT BEFORE ...IT'S BETTER TO GO THROUGH IT THE SAME WAY. .
...IT'LL BE OKAY.

TA-CHIBANA!!
I'LL BE FINE
YO!
YOU HAVE BUSINESS OR SOMETHING TODAY?
YEAH
HAVEN'T SEEN YOU SINCE LAST DRINKING PARTY, HUH?
AUNTY! THE SPECIAL IF YOU PLEASE!
OH- IT'S KIGUU!
RIGHT NOW, HE'S STAYING AT YOUR HOUSE, RIGHT?
HOW IS RYUUSUKE -SAN?
HAAHAA-HAA!! I KNOW EVERYTHING!
HOW... DID... YOU KNOW..?

I DON'T KNOW WHY THOUGH..
HE SAID "PLEASE DON'T TELL" STRICTLY FORBIDING ME FROM TELLING YOU.
THE TRUTH IS: I ACCIDENTALLY MET RYUUSUKE AT THE CITY AFTER HE QUIT UNIVERSITY..
I CONTACTED HIM NOW AND THEN.
JUST KIDDING ...
BUT, RYUUSUKE HAD ALWAYS WORRIED ABOUT YOU, YA KNOW?
YOU WERE REALLY ANGRY BACK THEN SO I COULDN'T JUST BLURT IT OUT..
AAH, WHEN YOU LOOK AT IT, HE'S ACTUALLY QUITE FRAIL.
.....
ALTHOUGH HE ONLY JOKES AROUND, THERE IS A PART OF HIM THAT WANTS TO CARRY EVERYTHING ON HIS SHOULDERS..
..WELL, THAT PERSON HAS HIS OWN REASONS.

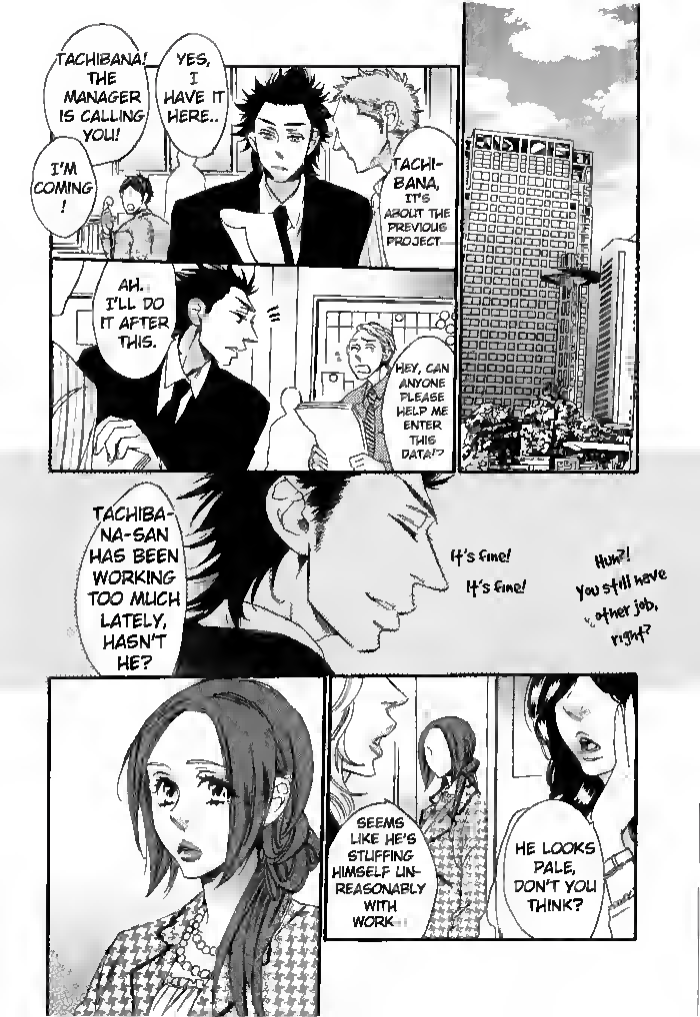
HONESTLY, I WAS WORRIED ABOUT LETTING YOU MEET.
IT SEEMS LIKE RYUUSUKE PREPARED FOR THE WORST TOO..
THAT'S WHY, WE WERE SO RELIEVED THAT YOU ACCEPTED RYUUSUKE..
BY THE WAY, I HAVE TO CONFESS.
Please don't get angry
IT WASN'T A COINCIDENCE THAT RYUUSUKE CAME TO THE GATHERING LAST TIME..
EH?
YOU SEE WHEN I MENTIONED THAT YOU WERE ENGAGED RYUUSUKE SAID THAT HE WANTED TO SEE YOU.
SEEMS LIKE HE WANTED TO CONGRATULATE YOU, AFTER ALL!
EH ?
.....
THE REASON WHY RYUUSUKE APPROACHED ME WAS FOR MONEY!
WHEN I GAVE HIM THE MARRIAGE MONEY, HE QUICKLY TOOK HIS BELONGINGS AND LEFT. HE DIDN'T EVEN CONTACT ME!
GETTING ALONG AGAIN LIKE OLD TIMES..
HE LEFT!

I DON'T KNOW !
RYUUSUKE IS NOT THAT TYPE OF PERSON...
TH...AT CAN'T BE... TRUE..
BUT
THERE IS NOTHING I CAN DO, BECAUSE IT'S TRUE!
...TAC HI-BA-NA...
TACHI BA-NA..!!
...SORRY I'M... LEAVING ...

I'M HOME-
EVEN IF I SAY IT, THERE'S NO ONE HERE...
I SHOULD BUY SOMETHING FROM THE CONVENIENCE STORE..
BUT... IT'S A HASSLE TO GO OUT AGAIN..
TCH... THERE'S NOTHING!
I'M... HUNGRY ....

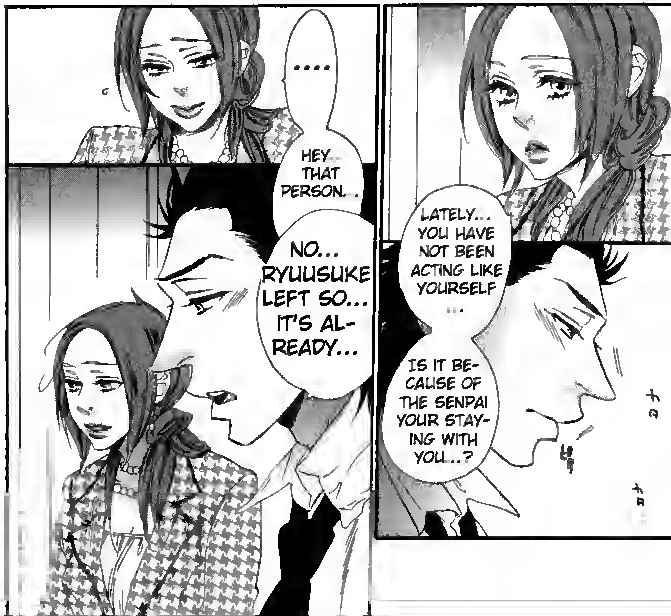
IT WASN'T A COINCIDENCE THAT RYUUSUKE CAME TO THE GATHERING LAST TIME
I CONTACTED HIM NOW AND THEN
COME TO THINK OF IT, I HARDLY ATE ANYTHING AT LUNCH EITHER...
IF I TRIED TO CONTACT HIM, I'D BE ABLE TO... AFTERALL...
Why didn't you contact me until now?
What was the reason that you couldn't meet me?
IF YOU NEEDED MONEY, EVEN WITHOUT DOING THAT THAT. NO MATTER HOW MUCH...
Why use that roundabout way-

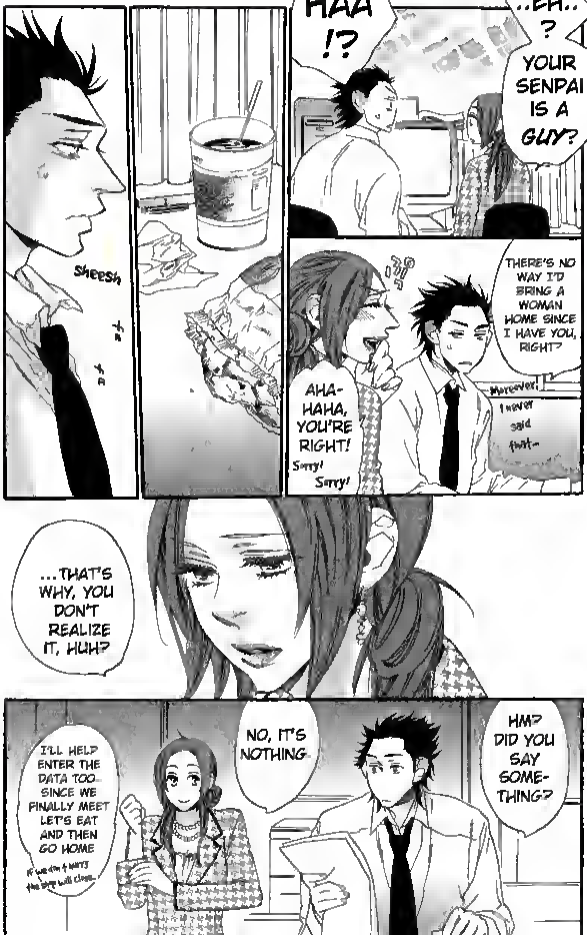
The Ryuusuke that pushed me away for money
The Ryuusuke that sometimes looks lonely
The cute Ryuusuke during sex
The ridiculous old Ryuusuke
It's all over the place...nothing is connected...
FUCK...
I can't figure out which is the real Ryuusuke
THANK GOD I HAVE WORK..


TACHIBANA! THE MANAGER IS CALLING YOU!
I'M COMING!
YES, I HAVE IT HERE..
TACHI-BANA, IT'S ABOUT THE PREVIOUS PROJECT
AH. I'LL DO IT AFTER THIS.
HEY, CAN ANYONE PLEASE HELP ME ENTER THIS DATA!?
TACHIBA-NA-SAN HAS BEEN WORKING TOO MUCH LATELY, HASN'T HE?
It's fine!
It's fine!
Huh?! You still have other job, right?
SEEMS LIKE HE'S STUFFING HIMSELF UN-REASONABLY WITH WORK...
HE LOOKS PALE, DON'T YOU THINK?

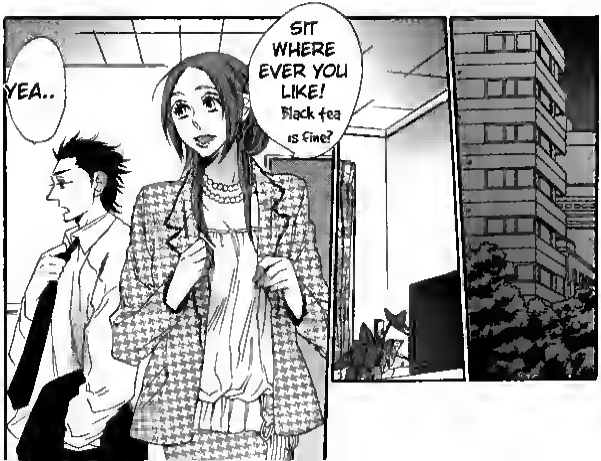
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
I want to keep myself so busy that I can't think of anything else
TAP
Right now, that's just what I need.
YUKARI ...?
ARE YOU STILL WORK-ING?
SHUNICHI!
To sleep in full and complete exhaustion
If I keep this up, I'll be okay.

ARE YOU THE ONLY ONE LEFT IN THIS FLOOR?
YEAH... I HAVE TO FINISH ENTERING THIS DATA BY TODAY..
IT'S CONVENIENT THAT WE CAN MEET ANY TIME SINCE WE'RE IN THE SAME COMPANY.
ALTHOUGH WE'LL NEVER MEET IF WE DON'T MAKE AN EFFORT?
AH.. WELL... I'M REALLY SORRY...
IT'S FINE!


LATELY... YOU HAVE NOT BEEN ACTING LIKE YOURSELF ...
IS IT BECAUSE OF THE SENPAI YOUR STAYING WITH YOU...?
....
HEY... THAT PERSON..
NO... RYUUSUKE LEFT SO... IT'S ALREADY...


HAA !?
..EH.. ?
YOUR SENPAI IS A GUY?
THERE'S NO WAY I'D BRING A WOMAN HOME SINCE I HAVE YOU, RIGHT?
AHA-HAHA, YOU'RE RIGHT!
Sorry! Sorry!
Sheesh
...THAT'S WHY, YOU DON'T REALIZE IT, HUH?
HM? DID YOU SAY SOME-THING?
NO, IT'S NOTHING.
I'LL HELP ENTER THE DATA TOO. SINCE WE FINALLY MEET LET'S EAT AND THEN GO HOME
It was fun. I don't think the time will close.

NO.. BUT...
NO BUTS! AT THIS RATE, YOU'LL MAKE YOURSELF SICK!
Here, give it to me!
YEAH...


YEA..
SIT WHERE EVER YOU LIKE! Black tea is fine?

...IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE I ATE A PROPER MEAL
THERE IS A RUMOR THAT "TACHIBANA-SAN IS WORKING TOO MUCH."
...FOR REAL?!
THAT RESTAU-RANT'S FOOD WAS DELICIOUS, WASN'T IT?
It's been a while since I felt this calm.
IT'S WARM... SUCH A RELIEF..
IT'S MY DREAM SINCE I WAS LITTLE TO BE A PATISSIER.
TRUTHFULLY, I WANTED TO LEARN ABOUT THIS SORT OF THING...
HMM? I DIDN'T KNOW.
I'M GLAD....
WOW! IT LOOKS STORE-MADE!
DO YOU WANT TO HAVE SOME CAKE TOO? I MADE THIS.
FUFUFU I'M NO GOOD AT ALL WITH COOKING THOUGH!

AREN'T GUYS SUPPOSED TO BE RAD WITH SWEET STUFF? IS THIS OKAY?
BUT, MY FATHER DIS-AGREED COM-PLETELY
OH... YEAH...
BUT... EVEN THOUGH RYUUSUKE IS A GUY, HE LIKES SWEET STUFF...ALWAYS LOOKING SO HAPPY...
YOU DON'T HAVE TO EAT IT IF YOU DON'T WANT TO...
SHUNICHI...? WHAT'S WRONG?
...UH, AM I STUPID...?
It's impossible to forget..
NO... IT'S NOT THAT. IT'S... NOT...

Not matter how hard I try to cover them up, my feelings overflow this easily...
I can't bury them like I usually do..
..N..
The only thing I can do is get used to it..
SHUNICHI..

Even though Yukari is right in front me...why...
YUKA... RI..
...is Ryuusuke the only thing on my mind..
.....
IT'S ALRIGHT ...
....AMN IT...
DAMN IT!

YOU MUST BE TIRED..
WHAT AN AWFUL FACE.
IF I WERE TO LEAVE, YOU WOULDN'T BE IN THIS BAD A STATE, WOULD YOU?
NEITHER YOU OR I
CAN GO TOWARDS THE DIRECTION WE DESIRE AND IT'S SUFFOCATING US
WE CAN STAY TOGETHER CALMLY. BUT WE HAVE NOTHING MORE THAN THAT. DO WE?
WITHOUT INTERFERENCE, WE BOTH FEEL AT EASE.
WE TRULY RESEMBLE EACH OTHER

... THAT ASIDE. YESTERDAY... THAT... I SHOWED YOU MY SHAMEFUL SIDE.
ISN'T IT FINE? I FEEL THAT FOR THE FIRST TIME I SAW YOUR DOCILE SIDE...
I... WANT TO SEE MORE OF YOU
YOUR UNCOOL SIDE.. ALL YOUR WEAK POINTS
JR
WOULD YOU LIKE TO STAY LONGER ?
I'm okay.
You alright?
NO... THAT'S QUITE AL-RIGHT...
I.. DON'T WANT TO SHOW IT...
I KNOW...
AH -THAT'S RIGHT. CAN YOU TELL ME YOUR PHONE NUMBER?
EH?
SEE, I ERASED IT BY MISTAKE..

WHAT? IT'S DOESN'T SEEM TO BE ERASED...
?!
SORRY ABOUT THAT..
THEN, I'M GOING TO CALL YOU, OKAY?
Yukari
RING
RING
why?
"What's your fiancee's name?"
"You're planning on erasing that first, huh?"
Ryuusuke ..?

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Again and again, I kept hoping for him to blurt out "just kidding!"
Or that it was just a nightmare I saw in my fever.
However
Yesterday: July #4
HERE. IT'S EXACTLY THREE MILLION YEN.
this was reality.

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the summer vacation

Neverending
july #5

SISKET
GOOD WORK!
THANK YOU FOR YOUR HARD WORK!

...I SHOULD REALLY RETURN THIS ALREADY...

IF I RETURN IT, THIS WILL REALLY BE THE END.. HUH?
THAT TIME THE REASON YOU ASKED FOR YUKARI'S NAME WAS NOT TO ERASE IT BUT TO LEAVE IT BEHIND
EVEN THOUGH YOU APPROACHED ME FOR MONEY, WHY...
WAS BLACKMAIL NOT YOUR PLAN?
Yukari
..I DON'T GET IT..
Even if it was, isn't there a more effective way to threaten me?

The one month promise of pretend "lovers" will be over-
Soon
Yukari Incoming
RING
BEEP
HELLO ?
Ah, Shunichi? Do you have time today?
Do you want to go somewhere? We can have a nice long talk
AAH, SOUNDS GOOD..
Then, I'm going to your place in a bit, okay?
YEAH, ALRIGHT.
YUKARI IS TAKING CARE OF ME, HUH?

EVEN THOUGH WHAT HAPPENED WITH RYUUSUKE SHOULDN'T CHANGE THAT...
Why...
does my heart feel this heavy...?
That's right- I'll marry Yukari, go to work..
and wish for a calm, peaceful life
Even though Yukari can grant me that...

THUNK
CLANK
YUKARI? THAT WAS FAST...

....
EH?
HA..
IF I CHASE HIM, THEN WHAT?
THIS IS.... RYUU SUKE ...
WHAT A SLOPPY WAY TO RETURN THREE MILLION YEN....
...S? CARELESS..

EH ?
AH..

RYUUSUKE ...
OH, SHUNICHI!
AH..
I DIDN'T MEET ANYONE.
IT HURTS. SHUNI-CHI...
DID YOU MEET SOMEONE ON YOUR WAY HERE!?

WHAT'S WRONG?
AH...
SO.. SORRY ...
IT'S FINE... I WAS JUST A BIT SURPRISED.
.....
GO!

IF YOU DON'T HURRY, YOU'RE GOING TO MISS HIM!
EH...
BU... BUT
I'M... YOU...
I'M...
AL- RIGHT.
....
I'M SORRY!

..I GUESS I SHOULD GO TOO..

"I work near here.."
"I'm the cook of a cafe."
I'LL DEFINITELY FIND YOU...
I WON'T GIVE UP... ANY-MORE.
DAMN... I WISH I HAD ASKED FOR HIS CELL PHONE NUMBER..
AS EXPECTED... HE'S NO LONGER IN THIS AREA EITHER..

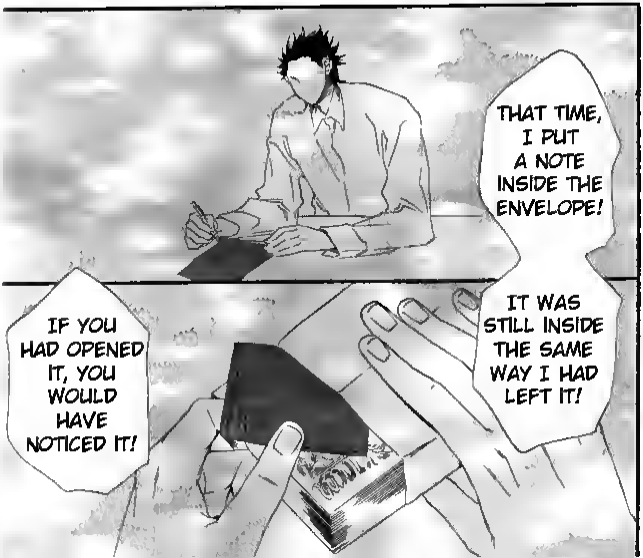
EXCUSE ME.
DOES SAITOU RYUUSUKE WORK HERE?
HE HAS LONG HAIR..
AAH, YEA, THAT GUY WORKED IN OUR SHOP..
REALLY? WHERE IS HE NOW?
UUHM ACTUALLY, HE QUIT YESTERDAY
SEEMS LIKE TODAY HE'S TAKING THE 4 O'CLOCK SHINKANSEN TO KYUSHU..
IT WAS SO SUDDEN, WE COULDN'T EVEN HOLD A FAREWELL PARTY.

That time I felt like my own existence within Ryuusuke was very small...
And I couldn't chase him...
Now, I'm scared of being pushed further away by Ryuusuke...
and had tried to just give up..

I've always regretted it ...even now
のぞみ
23番
ひかり
RYUU SUKE !!
More than anything else, to not have you by my side...
TACHI-BANA...?

WAI...
JUST WHERE ARE YOU GOING ?!!
I RE-TURNED THE MONEY ALREADY, DIDN'T I?
IF YOU DON'T WANT TO BE USED ANY MORE, LEAVE ME ALONE!

WHA..
YOU AREN'T EVEN USING ME, ARE YOU?
YOU DIDN'T EVEN TOUCH THE MONEY!
I'M NOT GOING ANY-WHERE !!


THAT TIME, I PUT A NOTE INSIDE THE ENVELOPE!
IT WAS STILL INSIDE THE SAME WAY I HAD LEFT IT!
IF YOU HAD OPENED IT, YOU WOULD HAVE NOTICED IT!

IF MONEY WAS NOT THE REASON THEN WHAT THE HELL..?
WHAT'S THE REASON BEHIND PRETENDING TO BE "LOVERS" ?
WHY.. DO YOU TRY TO GET AWAY FROM ME..?
.....
I WANT TO KNOW YOUR REA-SONS!
I WANT TO KNOW.. EVERYTHING ABOUT YOU..
.....
WHEN I LEFT UNIVER-SITY, I HAD NO INTENTION OF EVER SEEING YOU AGAIN...

BUT, JUST LIKE BACK THEN YOU ACCEPTED ME.
I WAS HAPPY ...
THAT'S WHY... I ENDED UP WANTING TO STAY LIKE THIS A LITTLE LONGER.
I THOUGHT THAT I GENUINELY WANTED TO SEE YOUR SMILING FACE..
BUT, WHEN I HEARD ABOUT YOUR ENGAGEMENT, I THOUGHT "I WANT TO SEE HIM"
I THOUGHT THAT IT'D BE OKAY EVEN IF YOU TREATED ME COLDLY..
BECAUSE OF WHAT HAPPENED AT UNI-VERSITY
YOU GIVE ME EVERY-THING I ASK FOR.
YOU'RE... KIND, SO YOU FORGIVE ME NO MATTER WHAT.

THAT'S WHY I COULDN'T DISCUSS IT WITH YOU DURING UNIVERSITY...
ヘナ...
.....
EVEN NOW, IT FEELS LIKE I'M GOING TO TAKE AWAY EVERYTHING YOU'VE WORKED FOR.
THAT'S WHY... I CAN'T STAY BY YOUR SIDE.

YOU CAN'T!
...I'LL GIVE YOU EVERY-THING..
YOU DON'T UNDER-STAND! YOUR ORDINARY LIFE WILL BE COM-PLETELY GONE!
EH?
DO YOU WANT TO STAY ALONE FOR-EVER?
YOU'RE JUST BEING SWEPT ALONG.
BE-CAUSE I FORCED YOU...

YOU MESS WITH PEOPLE TOO MUCH!!
AREN'T YOU JUST BEING SELFISH ?!
AND ANYWAY, DON'T GO RESOLV-ING THINGS ON YOUR OWN!!
THAT'S RIGHT! THAT'S WHY IT'S BETTER TO HATE ME, RIGHT?!!
YOU WON'T BE TROUBLED IF YOU DO!!
NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES I HAVE TO, I'LL STILL FORGIVE YOU..
No matter when..

I finally realized this feeling that moved me.
JUST LIKE BEFORE, YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN MESS UP MY LIFE LIKE THIS..
NO MATTER HOW TIRESOME, IT'S SO MUCH MORE PAINFUL NOT BEING WITH YOU!
PLEASE DON'T LEAVE ME AGAIN!
I don't know how it could mean anything but this
I LOVE YOU!

I WANTED TO MAKE... SOME MEMO-RIES...
DRIP
I FELT LIKE I COULD LIVE MY WHOLE LIFE WITH ONLY THAT...
DRIP
SORRY ...
I ALWAYS... ALWAYS THOUGHT THAT I CAN GIVE UP, IF I GET AWAY FROM YOU.
BUT..I COULDN'T ...DO IT...

...TACHI...
BANA...I
LOVE YOU...

AH
N..
AH
AH
HYA
haa
ah ha

AA
AH!
AH
AH
TACHIBANAA ..ALREADY.. FAST...ER
AAH
AH!
AH!
AA.. H..

NN.. IT'S FINE.. SO..DO IT.. A LOT.. MORE..
YEA...
SO TIGHT.. IS YOUR BODY OKAY?
TO THE POINT WHERE I CAN'T THINK OF ANYTHING ELSE BUT YOU..

DO YOU REGRET IT...?
...MAYBE.. WITH WHAT WILL COME
IT TICKLES! THAT..
..NN.
THAT'S OKAY..I'M PREPARED FOR IT..
RING
RING
HELLO ?
.....
RING

BA-THUMP
WHAW HAWHA WHA..T IS IT?!
BA-THUMP
Tachibana!? You're in big trouble, you know!?
YUKARI-SAN QUIT THE COMPANY, YOU KNOW!
Then, do you know where she disappeared to after leaving a note saying "I'm going to flap my wings and head towards my dream"?
EH?
Aah, when you think about it, since she's also breaking off the engagement you discussed it, right?
HAA?
HA, HAHAHA ...
HAHA-HAHA
Haa!! Don't tell me, she didn't even tell you she was quitting the company!?
HELLO?! Give me a break! And we're busy-!
HEY... TACHIBANA? WHAT'S WRONG?
HA HAHA ...I FEEL EXHAUST-ED ..
LOOKS LIKE... I GOT DUMPED.
YUKARI IS GONE.
AH?
HAA?
...ME TOO..

apart from that everyday is peaceful
Yukari's whereabouts are still unclear but
I'm known as the guy who's fiancee ran off and everyone stares at me with sympathy
Since then

OH YEAH, THERE'S A POSTCARD FROM FRANCE AGAIN. IT HAS NO ADDRESS..
what is this?
HM ..?

Ryuusuke has been living with me since that day
TACHI-BANA, ARE YOU DONE PREPAR-ING?
HM..? YEAH.

I don't mind really
WHO KNOWS....
WHAT'S WITH THAT FACE? IT'S PISSING ME OFF! SHOW IT TO ME!

THEY LOOK SO GOOD!
DON'T THEY?
PHOTOS OF CAKES?
I CAN'T BELIEVE SHE WENT OVERSEAS TO STUDY ABOUT CAKES...
THAT SHE HAS THE STRENGTH TO DO THAT...
..I GUESS I DIDN'T KNOW ANY-THING ABOUT YOU EITHER..
WELL THEN, LET'S GO BUY CAKE ON THE WAY!
ARE YOU SERI-OUS?!
It's going to melt!
..I'M SORRY AND THANK YOU...

oi! Tachibana I'm leaving you behind!
coming coming!
We're finally moving forward.
From that day...
LOOK! TACHI-BANA!

IT'S THE OCEAN!
And there's further more ahead.
THE END

LIPS
クチビル、くちびる
lips

When Hitsuji gets drunk, he turns into a kissing demon
Kyaa! Don't!
ahaha
He's popular though. During these drinking parties, girls secretly arm for the seats beside Hitsuji
I've always watched this from a distance
noticed
AH!
YOU LOOK TOO HAPPY TO BE SAYING THINGS LIKE "DON'T"

I like Hitsuji
AAAAAAKO!
HEY, HEY! WHICH GIRL DO YOU LIKE?
And yet, in the end, it means nothing...
Eeeeh?
Shhh! It was her!
AAH, I SEE! IT'S THAT ONE AFTER ALL...
..THIS GIRL, I GUESS..

I know it's fruitless.
I know that what I want will never come true
YOU WON'T HAVE TO, SINCE YOU'RE POPULAR.
WE HAVE THE SAME TASTES THIS IS BAD IF THE RIGHT GIRL COMES ALONG, WE MIGHT END UP FIGHTING!
YOU GUYS HAVE BAD TASTE AND ANYWAY AKO, YOU JUST PICKED RANDOMLY, DIDN'T YOU!?
Eeh?
Definitely this girl!
AKOO! YOU REALLY UNDERSTAND EVERYTHING ABOUT ME!!
as expected
Ako, it's okay to be angry, you know?
HMM. MAY I ASK WHY SUCH A POPULAR MAN WOULD DO SUCH LOWLY THINGS LIKE GLEEFULLY STARING AT RACY PICTURES?
SHUT UP!
AKO DOESN'T SEEM TOO EAGER, THOUGH..
poke
beep
EEEH AKO! DO YOU SECRETLY HAVE A GIRL-FRIEND?
YOU'RE REALLY QUITE PASSIONATE TOWARDS SOMEONE YOU LIKE, AREN'T YOU?
..I DON'T HAVE ONE.. NOT REALLY..
..OR RATHER, EXPRESSION-LESS.. COMPLETELY SPACED OUT..

HMMM...
I won't wish or fight it, like those girls...
HMMM, I DON'T HAVE ONE EITHER.
I guess he can't decide on a girl since he's popular
SHUT UP!
WELL, IF YOU LOOK AT HITSUJI'S GREEDY MANNER, YOU KINDA GET WHY
Ahahaha
ow ow!!
Just because my feelings are abnormal, doesn't mean I will be swayed into doing something about them.
That's all there is to it.

YEAH..
AKO! YOU WANT BEER TOO, RIGHT?
EXCUSE ME. TWO MORE PEOPLE ARE COMING BUT FOR NOW CAN WE ORDER...
SORRY, I'M LATE...
EH..?
YAY! I GET TO SIT NEXT TO AKO! ♥

Eh...?
shufufu
AH, HITSUJI, WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DRINK?
DRALIGHT BEER FOR ME.
THUMP
I'M SO GETTING WASTED TONIGHT!
YOU MEAN, LIKE ALWAYS? CAREFUL, AKO, YOU'RE THE ONE BESIDE HIM!
shufufu
THUMP
AKO, HERE. CHEERS!
THUMP

CHEERS!
THUMP
THUMP
THUMP
THUMP

CHATTER
Ahahahaa
!
CHATTER
IT'S NOT... LIKE THAT IT'S JUST TODAY THE ALCOHOL IS NOT REALLY HITTING ME
WHAT'S WRONG, HITSUJI? YOU'RE NOT TOSSING THEM BACK, LIKE YOU USUALLY DO
AAH? REALLY?
MY TRAIN WILL BE LEAVING SOON, SO I'M HEADING HOME.
EH?
IT'S ALREADY THAT TIME? AKO'S LIVES FAR AWAY, I GUESS!
....!
WELL, I GUESS YOU'RE NOT SITTNIG NEXT TO A GIRL, HUH? IT'S NOT AS FUN SINCE YOU CAN'T KISS ANYONE.
Thank you very much
BE CARE-FUL, KAY?
DON'T GET TOO DRUNK!

永遠の七月
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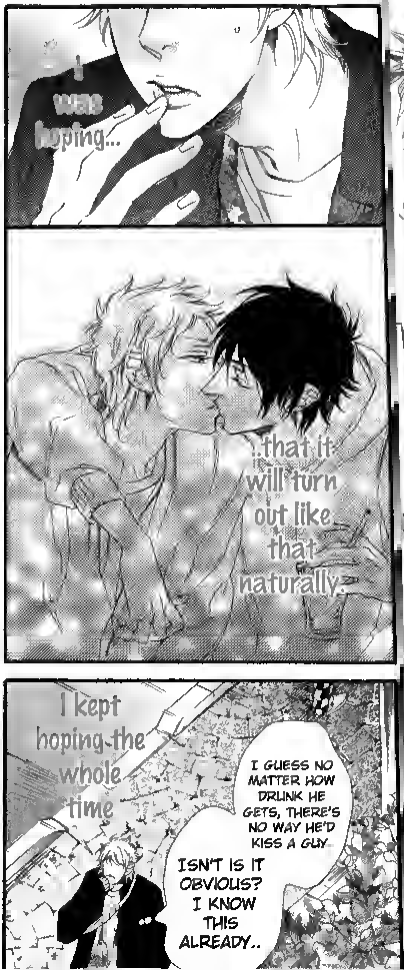
presents


I was hoping...
...that it will turn out like that naturally...
I kept hoping the whole time
I GUESS NO MATTER HOW DRUNK HE GETS, THERE'S NO WAY HE'D KISS A GUY.
ISN'T IS IT OBVIOUS? I KNOW THIS ALREADY..
SHOCK
I can't believe it..
KNOCK

WAIT, AKO!
I'M SO STUPID. STUPID. STUPID. STUPID. I WANT TO DIE. STUPID. STUPID!
TO GET HURT OVER EVERY SINGLE THING...
YOU'RE...
FREAK-ING FAST...
....!!
THAT'S YOU
WHY DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THAT?!
HEY... AKO.
YOU LIED ABOUT GOING HOME! YOU STILL HAVE TRAINS THAT GO TO YOUR PLACE, RIGHT?
EH... HIT-SUJI?

I'M NOT DRUNK! STOP TRYING TO CHANGE THE SUBJECT!!
WHA... ARE... ARE YOU STUPID?!
YOU REALLY ARE DRUNK. YOU CAME ALL THIS WAY JUST TO SAY THAT?!
No way
YOU... WHEN YOU'RE BEING CONSTANTLY STARED AT WITH SUCH A HUNGRY LOOK, OF COURSE YOU'D NOTICE!!
YOU... LIKE ME DON'T YOU?
No way
No way
No way
A HUNGRY LOOK...?!
YOU DID IT! ALL THE TIME!
YOU MADE A FACE LIKE YOU CRAZILY WANT ME!

THAT'S WHY... I STARTED THINKING "WHAT IF I KISS YOU"...? I EVEN DELIBERATELY SAT BESIDE YOU!
My head
"I WANT TO SEE IT!" I COULDN'T STOP THINKING ABOUT IT..
"WHAT KIND OF FACE WOULD YOU MAKE IF I KISS YOU?"
AND YET, NO MATTER HOW MUCH I DRINK, I COULDN'T GET DRUNK..
WHY... DO I WANT TO KISS YOU? THE MORE I THINK ABOUT IT, THE MORE....
can't wrap around this
...WHAT THE..? YOU'RE REALLY DRUNK AREN'T YOU?!

FUCK ...
..MY HEART IS GOING CRAZY..
I'M NOT DRUNK!
MUST BE DRUNK AFTER ALL.
ME TOO.
AH?

Don't fight.
WAI... WAIT! YOU-
THIS IS BAD..
blush
RUN
RUN
RUN
THIS IS BAD !!
Don't wish.
Don't waver.

When
AH ...
did I get swept along this easily?
THE END

my god

I thought that God was unexpectedly cruel
That there is always a limit to happiness
MOMMY, WHY WON'T DADDY COME HOME?
WHY? I'M LONELY!
DADDY WENT SOME-WHERE FAR AWAY..
FROM NOW ON, RYUUSUKE AND MOMMY HAVE TO LIVE HERE WITH JUST THE TWO OF US.
...I'M SORRY, RYUUSUKE ...

WHY?! DON'T WANNA! DON'T WANNA!
RYUU SUKE ...!
DADDY !!
DAD...
SQUEEZE
RYUU SUKE ...
I'M SORRY. I'M SORRY.
I'M SO SORRY ...
MOMMY..

..HH...
WHAT A NOSTALGIC DREAM...

All of a sudden, the father that I loved stopped coming home.
I don't know the reason.
I think that was when I was 8 years old.
I didn't want to see Mom's sad face when I mention Dad
Even if I asked, I doubt I would've been able to understand it at that age.
...I thought I was already happy with just that.
Even so, Mom worked desperately for my sake and showered me with love

I REGRET HAVING TO SAY THIS, BUT YOUR MOTHER...
IF IT WAS DETECTED IT A LITTLE BIT EARLIER, WE COULD HAVE DONE SOMETHING BUT...
It happened shortly after my second year in university
...SO, THAT'S HOW IT IS.

I'M SORRY.
I'M GIVING YOU A PAINFUL MEMORY...
..AGAIN.
I.. SHOULDN'T HAVE GONE TO UNIVERSITY AFTER ALL...
..THE ONE HURTING IS YOU, ISN'T IT?!
FOR MY SAKE... WORKING... THAT HARD THAT YOU... GET SICK...

IT'S BE-
CAUSE...
I'M HERE...
THAT YOU
SUFFER...
RYUUSUKE,
I'M NOT
SUFFERING
AT ALL.
THIS IS
THE
RESULT
OF ME
CHOOSING
TO BE
HAPPY.
BUT
...!
I'M
FAR
FROM
SUFFER-
ING.

those things in that condition?
How can she say
...STILL
I GUESS I CAN QUIT UNIVERSITY AND WORK...
Is wasting really the problem here?
It's such a waste for you to quit!
After all the trouble it took to raise the money and send you there!
MOM IS GOING TO BE ANGRY THOUGH..
AAAH! RYUUSUKE!
I really can't thank her enough
To have brought me up this far

Your presence
Weakens my intent
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
only one thing
The me that can laugh everything off your relationship
I was afraid that this would take the wrong way and I couldn't tell you my true feelings
Haa! Your house is in the opposite direction!
It was full of trivial matters, but the time I spent with Tachibana was lovely
Give me a ride!

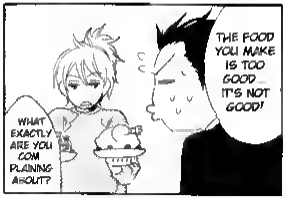
And as a result
I've made you troubled
and hurt you
But, in the end, I just couldn't give up on you.

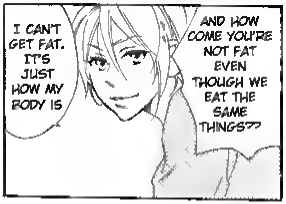
All this time, deep in my heart
I was searching for happiness
RYUU SUKE..
WHAT'S WRONG? YOU CAN'T SLEEP?

I WANT SOMETHING TO DRINK TOO..
SORRY. WAS I NOISY?
NO... NOT REALLY ...
I'M SORRY. YOU ALWAYS HAVE TO CHECK ON ME.

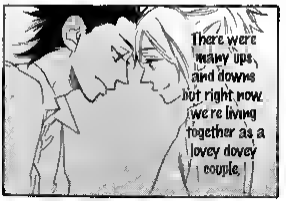
IT'S AL-RIGHT.
THIS IS WHAT I CHOSE TO DO.
...TACHI-BANAA..
I'M REALLY HAPPY!
AAH?
..ME TOO.. I GUESS?
IT'S NOT THAT FUNNY!
AHA-HA-HA!!
My world is made brighter.
..my God.
You're beet red!!
PFFFT!!
WHAT THE..!
THE END

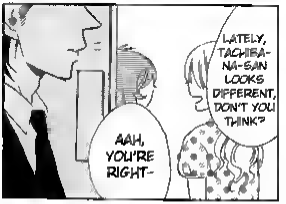
I DON'T WANT THIS KIND OF RYUUSUKE!

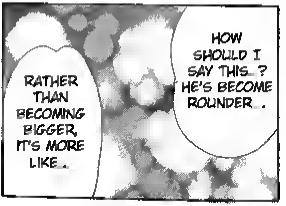




I DON'T WANT THIS KIND OF TACHIBANA!







If I draw an Alpaca in author's profile, I'm sure my editor will think that it's a fictional animal so I secretly drew it

its eyelashes are long and cute

its mouth is chewing, it's cute!

it's somewhat weird form is cute

its fluffy and cute!

its neck is long and cute!

its legs are long and cute

Hello Ootsuki Mia here. Truth be told, even now I can't write the kanji for "tsuki" (in her name) in the air!

Yup, that's me, but I've already completed my second comic! Waah, amazing!

I'm very grateful

Ryunsake's personality was worse than this before my editor told me to change it

this hair was long For me that loves short hair, a character with this length is my first

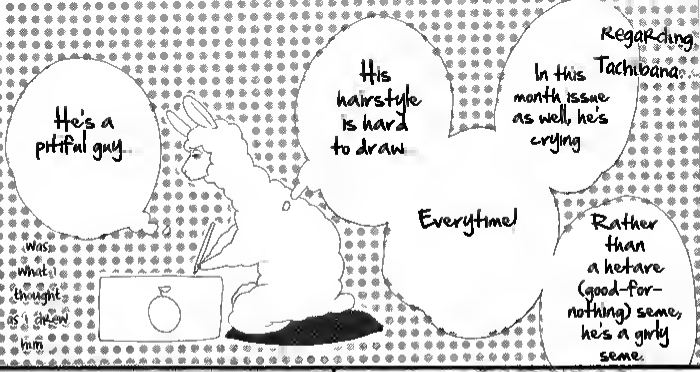
Miaw!

At first, the plan was putting "Neverending July" in a sequel to a previous comic

And yet, how did it get this long

That "July" indicates ocean Day may be difficult to understand

Miaow


He's a pitiful guy.
was what I thought as I drew him
His hairstyle is hard to draw.
Everytime!
Regarding Tachibana...
In this month issue as well, he's crying
Rather than a hetare (good-for-nothing) seme, he's a girly seme.

Finally, t everyone who's still reading up till here, everyone who's sending me letter and questionnaire, my editor, everyone who was involved in the making of this book, with all my gratitude I thank you all.

I drew LIPS lips thinking that kissing is so moe! A reaction from Eien? The uke has short hair.

Many people retorted that there was no sex scene. It doesn't look like I plan to draw these two sexily, don't you think?

Truth is, there was a setup called "people who stealthyly always use moe sleeve."*

*It's a clothing style that consists of long sleeves that cover your hands so that only the tip of your fingers are visible.

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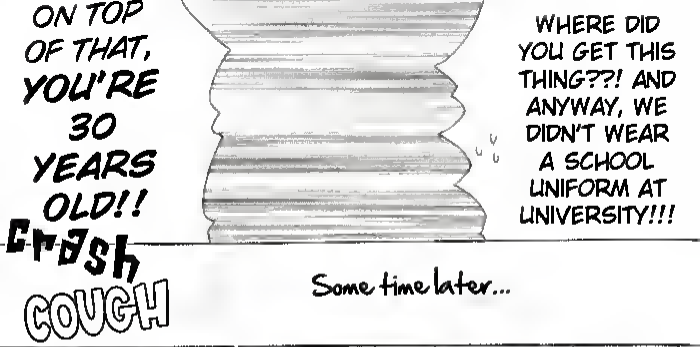
Ryuusuke had his hair cut!
LOOKS GOOD?
Gakuran – a common type of middle and high school uniform with standing collar
FOR THAT REASON, I'VE PREPARED THIS!
Gakuran
I KNOW, RIGHT?!
FEELS LIKE WE'RE BACK AT UNIVER-SITY!
YEAH, LOOKS GOOD, LOOKS GOOD.


ON TOP OF THAT, YOU'RE 30 YEARS OLD!!
WHERE DID YOU GET THIS THING??! AND ANYWAY, WE DIDN'T WEAR A SCHOOL UNIFORM AT UNIVERSITY!!!
Crash
COUGH
Some time later...
Tachibana is quite moody, hm?
I HAVE TO STOP THIS EASYLY INFLUENCED PERSONALITY ONE WAY OR ANOTHER..
click
..EVEN THOUGH YOU WERE REALLY INTO IT.
Hahaaaa
HOW WAS THAT? TACHIBANA-SENSEI..
IT WAS GOOD..
It's a different kind of play...